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TITLE OF INVENTION: DUAL USE OF AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PIN AND THE SWITCHING OF SIGNALS AT SAID PIN

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**For:** DUAL USE OF AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PIN AND THE SWITCHING OF SIGNALS AT SAID PIN

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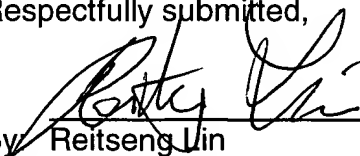
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**Dear Sir:**

In a telephone conversation between Examiner Faulk and the undersigned on May 9, 2006, Examiner Faulk agrees that no action is required from applicant in response to the objection to FIGs. 3 and 4 indicated in the detailed action attached to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due of March 1, 2006. The use of reference numeral "59" to refer to transistors in FIGs. 3 and 4 is correct because applicant has amended the specification to replace reference "56" with "59" for referring to the transistors in the reply to the USPTO dated September 6, 2005. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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